

AXIS RAID BRITISH IN IRAQ

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

ALEX. H. WASHBURN

We Hear From "The Answer Man"

Largest EDIBLE Watermelon

The following letter has been received by the editor from Albert Mitchell, "The Answer Man," who broadcasts weekly from WGN, Chicago:

Many Expected at Air Circus Here Sunday

American Legion to Sponsor 12-Daredevil Auto, Plane Acts

The celebrated Elmo Bannister world champion bat wing jumper, will feature the 12 act air show circus which the American Legion is sponsoring at the airport here Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The "human bat" will leap from an airplane at 10,000 feet, glide through the air like a bird, finally opening his parachute when only a few hundred feet from the ground.

The show has a complete coup of airplane and automobile stunts which includes the act of Jimmy Banton who steps from an airplane 300 feet from the ground without a parachute. The auto show features a man who steps from the running board of a car going 70 miles per hour.

Advance tickets are now on sale at the Hope Furniture Co., the Diamond Cafe and the Easy Pay Tire store.

No passengers will be taken up during the show, the manager announced.

The hundreds of visitors are expected from surrounding cities and towns, the legion commander announced.

Facts About Americans

American Citizens Have Many Strange Hobbies

By RAY PEACOCK
AP Feature Service Writer
The one in our crowd is named Doc. He's the guy who tells you that the card you're thinking about is the seven of diamonds, or finds a two-bit piece you didn't know was in your pocket.

Doc isn't a magician by trade, but he works nearly as hard at it as do the professional members of the Society of American Magicians, of which he is a member in good standing. He swears by the ghost of Merlin not to tell how it's done.

For such an obviously deceitful fellow, Doc is quite popular. Never dull moment when he is around. He'll put a thimble on a finger, make a few passes, and presto, he has thimbles on every finger and you don't know where they came from.

He can do all sorts of other tricks, too, like making sponges multiply while they are clenched in your hand, and making a little vase cling to the end of a rope, and, of course, that oldie of changing a couple of silk handkerchiefs into a dog. He even does a mind-reading act with a phonograph record and it's a honey-babe.

As a matter of fact, Doc has built up a little routine that he likes to do or his friends. You might think his wife would get pretty sick of it, but magicians' wives seem to be dyed with the same sort of ink as their husbands. When Doc seals up an envelope and then passes a card around to be initiated, she even manages to be surprised when Doc discovers that the initialed card was in the envelope all the time.

Ask Doc what he finds in his hobby, which requires hours of practice for a little trick lasting seconds, and he says he gets a kick out of fooling people, that it's one good way to keep from being a wall-flower. Those reasons are pretty good, of course but if anybody can learn to find two-bit pieces the way Doc does, then I'm going to be a magician too. It would be a good trick to pull off the day the rent is due—and why stop at quarters?

A Thought

Through survival of their children, happy parents are able to think calmly of a world in which they are to have no direct share.
—Malus.

Oil Pipeline to Atlantic Is Proposed

Would Carry Oil Overland 2,000 Miles from Texas, Louisiana

NEW YORK.—(AP)—A pipeline more than 2,000 miles long to carry oil from the big Texas-Louisiana oil center to the Atlantic seaboard was projected Saturday in answer to the problem of moving oil now carried by large tankers.

Oil circles gave details that such a line would cost more than \$6 million dollars and would carry from 250 to 300 thousand barrels of oil per day. The pipeline would be financed by eastern oil companies.

The report came on the heels of the appointment of a petroleum defense commission which was asked to be set up by the Production Management board.

The OPM officials are vitally interested.

Prescott Class Is Entertained

Juniors Give Annual Banquet for Seniors Friday

PRESCOTT.—The seniors of the Prescott high school were feted Friday night with a banquet at the Loda Hotel with the Junior Class as host. Miss Mary Elizabeth Hester is president of the Juniors and Wallace Ledbetter heads the Seniors. The well-planned program included music by the high school girls' trio, composed of Misses Nina Cathryn Scott, Maude McDaniel and Betty Cox. Several selections by expression and voice pupils of Mrs. Annie Lee Acker. The entertainment was climaxed with a dance at the Legion Hut, music to be furnished by the high school orchestra.

7 Army Men Die in Crash

Five Barksdale Flyers Killed in Ohio Friday

COLUMBUS, Ohio.—(AP)—Seven army men—five in one plane and two in another—were killed when their ships crashed in southern Ohio—15 minutes apart—during a wind and rain storm Friday night.

Army attendants at Patterson Field, Dayton, said five men in a large twin motorized plane from Barksdale Field, Louisiana, lost their lives when the plane smashed into a hillside near Nelsonville, Ohio. The other plunged into the ground.

Singing Class to Meet on Monday

The monthly singing class of this district will meet Sunday afternoon May 18, at 2 o'clock at the Garrett Memorial Baptist church at Hope, it was announced.

State Policeman to Head Bauxite Police

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—State Police Superintendent A. G. Albright announced Friday the resignation of Patrolman Jack Benton, Lonoke, to become police chief at Bauxite. Benton has been stationed at Malvern several years.

Reports Hess Flight Aided

Radio Says Plane Designer Helped Nazi Head

LONDON.—(AP)—"Unknown disclosure" of Rudolf Hess, German leader who flew to England, and a suggestion that a proposed purge had included the Nazi official and fighting plane designer Willi Messerschmitt were topics of a broadcast by the British Saturday.

The government radio said, broadcast in Germany for benefit of the German people it might reach, there were rumors that Messerschmitt might have aided Hess in his flight. He has a private field near Augsburg, from where Hess started his strange journey a week ago Saturday.

Further rumors said the machine Hess used was one of the latest models and one not yet in the German service.

The plane was not a Messerschmitt 110 as reported, the broadcast said. A plan to display the plane in Trafalgar Square has been abandoned the press claimed.

Duties Change for Generals

Italians Are Heaviest Losers of Army Leaders

AP Feature Service
Looks like there's no percentage in getting to be a general anymore. Time was (according to legend) when a general had it pretty soft far back of the lines with plenty to eat and no mud, but in this war a lot of generals have been right out in front of the battle—or else the battle has caught up with them.

A German broadcast in May, 1940, during the invasion of France, told how panzer troops captured the town of La Capelle. The last resistance came from the postoffice, said the reporter, telling how cannon had crumbled its walls. He continued:

"Two elderly French generals stepped out without arms, one a division general and the other a brigadier. A German tank sped up, carrying a German general, who told them, I regret the circumstances under which we meet. May I express my respects regarding the brave manner in which your troops fought this battle?"

Gen. Wilhelm List (now German field marshal in the Balkans) once captured 15 French soldiers single-handed.

Seven French generals were killed in action in the battle of Flanders and several others were taken prisoner, fighting to the last with what remained of their divisions.

The biggest general-losers have been the Italians. Sixteen generals and an admiral were captured at Tobruk. Several more, including the colorful Gen. Annibale (Electric Whiskers) Bergonzoli, were taken at Bengasi. Then, when the tide turned in the desert, the British lost a few generals

(Continued on Page Three)

New York Skyscraper Roof Safer Than Inside Rooms During an Air Raid

Side-Wall Offers Broader Target for Bomber Pilots

By NEA Service

NEW YORK.—It's safer to be on the roof of a high building during an air raid than on the lower floors.

This is one of the startling conclusions that came to light as New York, undoubted objective of any lightning Nazi attack on the Western Hemisphere, prepares to face any emergency.

Few of the Inns which Mayor La Guardia and his administration have worked out have yet been made public. But a myriad of committees has been at work for many months and has blueprinted the skeletons on which will be hung the detailed plans for civilian protection.

As early as 1938, following the hurricane which huffed and puffed disaster down the whole northeast coast, Mayor La Guardia established a permanent Disaster Control Board. Even before the outbreak of war only a year later, the Board had taken stock of the city's vital utilities and made plans for their emergency use.

Disaster Control Force
Subsequently the Police Department established a Disaster Control Force. At present it consists of some 1500 men who have been thoroughly trained in everything from control of crowds and first aid to the reconstruction of communications lines. In addition, the entire police force has been receiving special instruction in civilian protection problems.

On the Mayor's advice, the Fire Department last fall sent representatives to London to study the problem of incendiaries under the hot, flickering light of fires they had started.

In addition to these basic steps, plans are being made by the other city departments—including surveys of evacuation facilities. Representatives of the city are also attending lectures on "Civil Bombardment Protection" at New York University. It is from this course that the surprising conclusion about the safety of skyscraper roofs is drawn.

U. of A. Students Are Divided

300 Take Vote on Ousting of President Fulbright

FAYETTEVILLE.—Divergent sentiments were expressed by about 300 University of Arkansas students who attended a mass meeting here Friday night that had been advertised as a protest against plans of the state administration to remove President J. W. Fulbright and other executives of the university and Extension Service.

A. J. Yates of Bentonville, president of the Associated Students, said approximately 200 of the students voted for and 35 voted against a resolution urging state officials not to make changes in the university personnel "for political purposes" and that approximately the same vote was cast on an amendment offered from the floor urging that "the university president and officials of the university refrain from taking active part in political affairs."

Mr. Yates, acting as chairman of the meeting, called for a standing vote. Many of the students present did not vote after Norman Casey, Little Rock, and Jimmy Shannon, Jonesboro, asked them not to express either for or against the resolution and amendment. Mr. Yates opened the meeting by declaring its purpose was "to let it be known that we don't want the university in a scandal like that at Louisiana State University."

Most of the speakers said they approved of the administration of President Fulbright.

Trees Seldom Fall

On Barro Colorado Island, Canal Zone, the trees of the jungle seldom fall. Strangler fig vines devour the old trees as they stand, or the wood is eaten away by termites.

COTTON

By the Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS				
	Open	High	Low	Close
July	13.00	13.00	12.91	12.95
October	13.15	13.15	13.16	13.04
December	13.22	13.24	13.13	13.20
January	13.19			13.20
March	13.20	13.30	13.20	13.27
May	13.28	13.28	13.28	13.31

NEW YORK

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July	12.94	12.97	12.84	12.92
October	13.07	13.11	12.98	13.06
December	13.15	13.19	13.05	13.13
January	13.17	13.17	13.17	13.14
March	13.18	13.27	13.11	13.20
May	13.24	13.31	13.20	13.24

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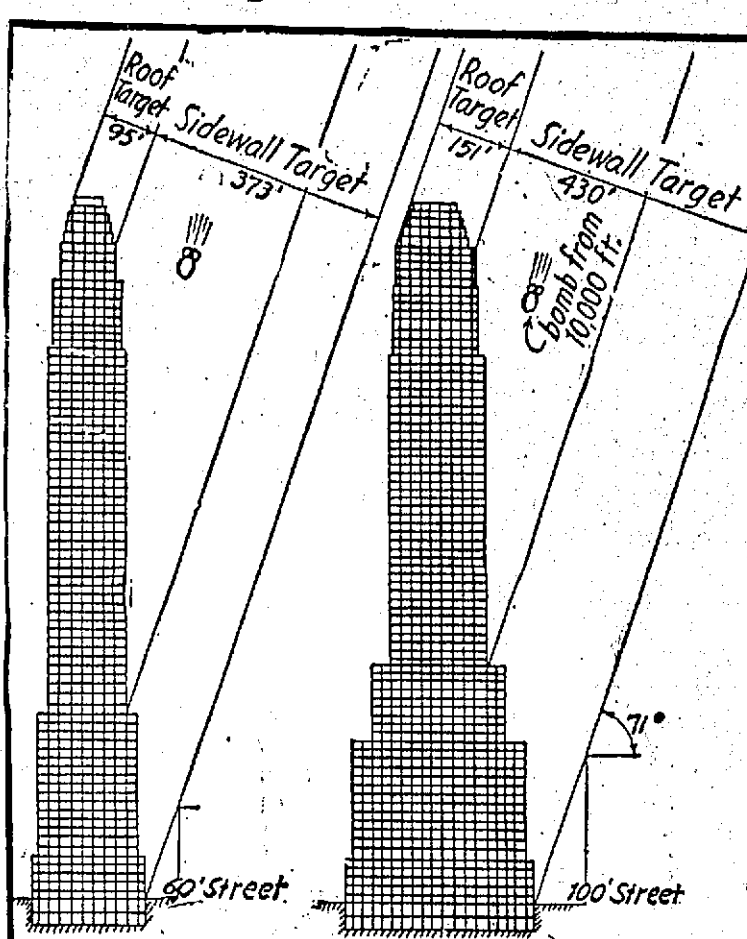


Diagram above, used in a course on air-raid protection at New York University, shows the relative vulnerability of a 1000-foot building to bombs dropped from 10,000 feet. Because bombs drop in a curve instead of straight down, the roof is less likely to be pierced, and is therefore safer, than a room inside the building.

E. L. Sullivan Dies Friday

Life-Long Hempstead Resident Succumbs at Home

Barnett Yynn Sullivan, 64, life-long Hempstead county farmer, died at his home on Hope route two early Friday night.

Funeral service will be held at the Herndon-Cornelius funeral home at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Burial will be in the Mouser Cemetery at Rocky Mount.

He is survived by his widow, 2 stepsons, Willard Holt of Wright, Ark., Leslie Holt of St. Louis, a daughter, Mrs. Irene Barton of DeSota, Mo., and a sister, Mrs. Vannie Richards of Hope.

B. Montgomery Whips Jenkins

Champ Is De-cisioned in a Non-Title Bout

NEW YORK.—(AP)—Bob Montgomery took Lew Jenkins' famous punches for a couple of rounds and then came on to out-point the world lightweight champion in 10 rounds in Madison Square Garden Friday night. Montgomery weighed 136 1-2; Jenkins 135.

The "Philadelphia Henry Armstrong" laughed off the Texan's rip-roaring right-hand shots in early going, fought a crowd-pleasing fight all the way and won going away in the non-title tussle by which he earned a shot at Fritz Zivic's welterweight crown. Montgomery sliced Lew's nose in the fourth round, cut his right eye in the fifth, gashed his left ear in the sixth and floored him in the ninth on the way to winning his unanimous decision.

The Associated Press score card gave him seven rounds, with three for Jenkins.

New Taxi Service Established Here

A Yellow Cab taxi service has opened for business in Hope with headquarters in the Roosevelt Hotel (formerly Capital Hotel), Billy and M. B. Hatch, operators announced Saturday.

The Hatch Brothers have been in the taxi business 12 years and will offer the public day and night service.

Color Moods

Tests made by scientists prove that color effects are as follows: Red and orange stimulate; deep yellow cheers; green has a soothing effect, and white induces irritation.

Indicates Axis Take Offense; British Silent

Turks on Defense But Attitude of Russia Remains Mystery

By the Associated Press
The war in Iraq appeared to be moving into a new phase Saturday as a communiqué from Iraq reported a smashing attack by many bombers on the British held Cinceldebene Camp and said a big battle raged in the region around Basra between British and Iraq troops who are pushing toward the Persian gulf.

Inasmuch as Britain announced they practically annihilated the weak Iraq airforce at the beginning of the war and this being the Iraq mention of a bombing against the British indicated Axis planes have not only arrived in Iraq but were already taking an active air offensive.

It was further indicated by an official Italian dispatch revealing that Italian planes had arrived in Iraq via Syria.

British sources in Cairo, however, said little of the situation and both Basra and Habbaniyah areas remained quiet.

Russian Attitude Mystery

Turkey appeared determined to maintain a defensive attitude but Russia loomed as an uncertain factor. The mystery of Moscow's intention was not clarified by a dispatch saying Stalin was transferring expert generals from the east to west commands.

Battle in Africa

DUB, official German news agency, reported that squadrons of planes had driven off units of the British fleet approaching Bengasi and attacked and damaged transports, at Tobruk.

The seaway struggle for Salum, held hidden advance point of the Axis drive in Egypt, has swayed again to the Axis advantage. The Axis reported to have recaptured the town after the British had occupied it, the day before.

In a counter attack the Axis said they had also taken Gervoz, Libyan frontier post near Salum, and Sidra, as well as 100 prisoners.

However, a besieged British garrison still held out at Tobruk.

Newspaper Best for Heinz Ad

Sales Up 33% After Best Campaign of National Brand

A consumer buying increase of 33.7 per cent, secured in test cities through application to newspapers of the radio technique of sustained continuity and repetition, is the basis for an announcement of the largest fall newspaper schedule in the history of the H. J. Heinz company, according to Franklin Bell, advertising manager.

A fifteen-months study of more effective uses of newspaper space has just been completed by the Heinz advertising agency, Maxon, Inc., Detroit.

Test campaigns were conducted in 21 newspapers from coast-to-coast in cities representative of each important population group. Each newspaper received a minimum schedule of 3 to 5 advertisements per week for 13 consecutive weeks.

The extent of consumer buying, and consumer "awareness" of the varieties to be advertised, prior to release of the advertising was determined by independent research organizations. These findings were later compared with identical consumer surveys following completion of the 13-week test campaigns.

A total of 3458 consumer interviews were completed before the tests, and 3505 after the tests. On the before surveys, 1521 housewives were familiar with the Heinz Varieties to be advertised and 713 were already regularly buying these varieties. On the after surveys, 1821 were familiar with the advertised items and 952 were buying them. These comparisons show an awareness increase of 19.7 per cent and a buying increase of 33.7 per cent.

Commenting upon the Maxon, Inc., study, Mr. Bell stated: "It is our opinion that newspapers today are in the strongest position with the reading public they have enjoyed for 20 years; that their fundamental advantages of selectivity and flexibility are particularly important in today's merchandising; and that properly used with adequate continuity, they should be primary in a thoroughly rounded national advertising program."

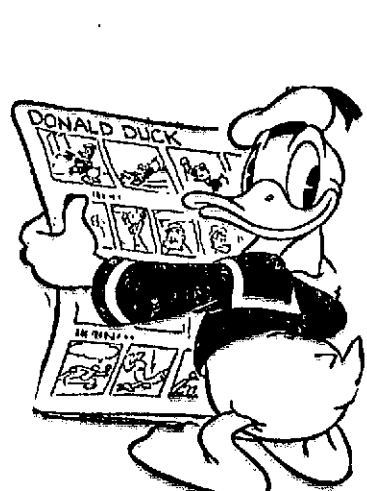
There are 243 food products on the market in canned form; everything from biscuits to rattlesnake meat.

The Star Introduces....



Blondie

America's No. 1 Housewife (She'll sweep your cares away with laughter!)



New daily cartoons starting Monday, May 19

Hope Star

Published weekly, except during the summer months, when it is published bi-weekly. Published by the Hope Star Publishing Co., Inc., 212-214 South Walnut Street, Hope, Ark.

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BUY ON CREDIT. TIRES, BATTERIES, radios, accessories, and bicycles. Prices and terms to suit your income. Easy Pay Tire Store, S. Walnut street, Phone 125. 28-lmc

ALLIED BATTERIES, AS LOW AS \$3.19 exchange. Batteries recharged \$5.00, plenty of rentals. Bob Elmore Supply, 210 South Elm, Phone 174. 14-4t

PUPPIES. STUD SERVICE ON Cockers, Spaniels, Bostons and Chows. Padgett's Kennels, Hope. 15-3tp

CAFE LOCATED IN HOPE ON highway, 67. Successful, growing, sound business. Must sell because of other business. Reasonable price and terms. Phone 788 or write Box 88. 14-4t

D & P COTTON SEED FOR SALE. Second year seed. Washington, Ark. \$1.00 per bushel. A. N. Stroud or see W. I. Stroud at Store. 14-4t

CAFE AND 6 ROOM HOUSE, SELLING on account of ill health. Lee Brown, 103 W. Ave. G. 15-3tp

2 FRESH JERSEY COWS, SECOND and third calves. Heavy milkers. K. G. McRae. 16-3tp

Services Offered

LET US MOTH-PROOF YOUR WINTER clothes. Moth-proof bags free with your dry cleaning. 1 shirt laundered and 2 ties cleaned and pressed free with each suit cleaned and pressed. Cook's White Star Laundry, Phone 148. 5-lmc

Male Instruction

AIRCRAFT FACTORIES—NEED men immediately for National Defense. Our 4 to 6 weeks course prepares you. We can place all men we train now. Limited offer: complete course, \$35 down; no more until employed. No co-signers or security; 100 per cent investigation invited. Schools nearby and California. Americans 18-45. Write for information. Pacific Aircraft and Southwest Aeronautical Institute, Box 219, Hope, Arkansas. 13-3tp

SPECIAL OFFER TO READERS

20 Culinary Arts Institute COOKBOOKLETS

This coupon, with only 10c in cash, entitles holder to any Culinary Arts Institute Cookbooklet, which has been released. The complete set consists of 20 bookletlets which may be obtained a book each week as they are released. Cookbooklets may be obtained at our business office. To order by mail, send this coupon with 15c for each Cookbooklet (10c, plus 5c for handling and mailing) to Hope Star, P. O. Box 98, Hope, Arkansas.

COOKBOOKLET

NOW ON SALE 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

HOPE STAR

For Rent

ROOMS FOR RENT, CONNECTING Bath. Mrs. S. R. Young, 403 W. Division, Phone 71. 14-3tp

MODERN DUPLEX 4-ROOM APARTMENT. Hardwood floors. Built-in cabinets. Large closets. Unfurnished. Garage, 406 South Spruce St. Mrs. J. E. Schooley. Phone 38-F-11. 15-3tc

3 ROOM FURNISHED APARTMENT, 220 North Main. 2 blocks from depot. J. L. Cook. 17-3tp

Notice

BEST 5c HOT DOGS AND HAMBURGERS in town. Six in a sack for 25 cents. Curb Service. Jean's Sandwich Shop. 17-1f

SPRING HOUSECLEANING—LET US laundry your curtains, blankets, and quilts. Curtains stretched to proper size. Cook's White Star Laundry, Phone 148. 5-lmc

YOU CAN SAVE MONEY HERE! We offer real bargains in New and Used Furniture. Chairs, tables, beds, living room furniture, etc. Franklin Furniture Co. S. Elm St. 3-lmc

PERHAPS YOU'VE NOTICED: FABRIC under pearl buttons doesn't rot out. That's because moisture does not linger around Pearl Buttons after washing, as it does with certain types of metal fasteners. Insist on Pearls!

WILL MY FRIEND WHO BORROWED my Gladstone Bag please return it, as I have another friend who would like to borrow it. Dr. L. M. Lila. 16-1tp

A sloth has only about half as much muscle as other animals.

Lost

DARK BROWN HORSE MULE. Believed to be south of Spring Hill. If found or seen notify Carlus Yergler, Hope Rt. 1, Box 34. 14-3tc

FROM PASTURE EDGE OF TOWN. Monday night, May 12. Brindle White Face cow, horns, weight about 750 pounds. Possibly calf by side now. Call 748. Claude Sutton. 15-1f

Take care of the pennies and the dollars will take care of themselves; neglect both and the government will take care of you.

Answer to Cranium Cracker

Questions on Page One

1. Sergeant Alvin York was a conscientious objector, but changed his views after talking with a draft official; and later became a World War hero.

2. Yes. Adolph Oppenheimer of Portsmouth, O., an American citizen and also registered for the draft. Home on leave, he was inducted, and Canada relinquished its claim.

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Beaten to Draw

CHEYENNE, Wyo. (AP)—The draft board looked and looked for Eddie Whitten, wondering if he wasn't trying to delay service. Then the board found him—right in the army. He had enlisted two months before, forgetting to tell the draft officials about it.

Earthworms Are Beneficial
There may be as many as 50,000 earthworms per acre in rich garden soil. Annually, they bring about 10 tons of fertile subsoil to the surface, according to estimates.

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams

EGAD, TWIGGS! I AM ON THE HORNS OF A DILEMMA! A CRYSTAL GAZER CLAIMS HE BEHELD ME ASTRIDE A GALLOPING STEED, SHOUTING "GNIK!"

THE SWAMI AVOWED THE WORD "GNIK" WAS MY KEY TO RICHES, BUT WEBSTER HAS CARELESSLY OVERLOOKED IT! DRAT THESE MYSTICS!

GNIK! GNIK! PSHAW!

I HAVEN'T GOT MY BANDANNA AND EARRINGS, MAJOR, BUT I'D SAY THE HORSE MEANS A RACETRACK, AND "GNIK" IS "KING" SPELLED BACKWARDS!

JUST GO TO THE TRACK, BET ON A HORSE NAMED KING, AND WALK HOME IN THE REIGN!

TWIGGS OUGHT TO BE CROWNED FOR A PUN LIKE THAT!

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How Nice!

By V. T. Hamlin

SINCE STEPHEN... WE HAVEN'T SEEN DRAW SINCE... WE SIMPLY MUST MAKE A GOOD IMPRESSION!

WELL, I MUST SAY YOU SEEM TO BE SUCCEEDING!

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SOCIETY

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Social Calendar

Monday, May 19

Circle No. 1 of 2 of the First Christian Church will meet at the church at 3 o'clock.

Unlabeled No. 1 of the St. Mark's Auxiliary, home of Mrs. J. B. Koonce with Miss Nettie Brogren and Miss Louise Knoble hostesses, 4 o'clock.

Ladies Auxiliary of First Presbyterian church, the church, 3 o'clock.

Girls' Cotillion club, honor of Miss Mary Lemley, 7 o'clock.

Tuesday, May 20th

The Hope high school band auxiliary will meet at the Capital hotel at 3 o'clock.

Two and One club, meet at the Fair Park, 3 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

Wednesday, May 21st

Azalea Garden club garden party, home of Mrs. Syd McMath, 2 to 6.

High School Seniors Guests at Beautiful Tea Friday

Claiming the social spotlight for the members of the Hope high school graduating class was the afternoon tea given by Mrs. J. R. Williams and Mrs. C. P. Tolleson in honor of their daughters, Miss Nancy Faye Williams and Miss Pauline Tolleson on Friday from 4 to 5 at the Williams' home.

The honorees received with the hostesses in the reception which was made more lovely with an abundance of colorful early summer flowers. Guests were invited into the dining room, where Mrs. Byron Brown presided at the large punch bowl placed at one end of the handsomely appointed table. A bowl of pink roses centered the table and in crystal holders, Mrs. D. L. Bush assisted in serving sandwiches and cakes in the chosen pink color scheme.

Guests were the members of the 1941 graduating class and a few faculty members.

Thursday Contract Club Members Are Entertained by Mrs. Coffee

Mrs. Clyde Coffee was hostess to the members of the Thursday Evening Contract club at her home on West Third street. Guests other than the club members were Miss Edna Earl Hall and Miss Nell Williams.

After the spirited games the hostess served delicious strawberry shortcake. Mrs. Bill Wray received the high score gift.

Mrs. Joe Black Is Hostess at Friday Afternoon Party

Artistic arrangements of summer flowers adorned the home of Mrs. Joe Black on Friday afternoon when she was hostess to a few friends at an afternoon bridge party.

Bridge was played from two tables with Mrs. R. L. Broach receiving the high score gift. Mrs. K. N. McDaniel of Davenport, Iowa was also present with a dainty gift.

A delicious salad plate was served the following guests, Mrs. Brouch, Mrs. McDaniel, Mrs. R. E. Henderson, Mrs. Syd McMath, Mrs. Nell Williams, Mrs. Thompson Evans Jr., Miss Harriet Story, and Mrs. Buford Poe.

Two and One Club Entertained by Mrs. Odell Luck

The Two and One club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Odell Luck. Following a short business session, sewing was enjoyed by the group.

The hostess served delicious ice cream and strawberry shortcake to the several members present.

Miss Marilyn Melroe Is Hostess To Young Socialites

On Friday night Miss Marilyn Melroe invited several of her young friends to an informal dance at the home on East Second street. Sandwiches, cookies, and "cokes" were served to the guests who spent a pleasant evening dancing.

Those present were Miss Polly Tolleson and Paul Hutson, Miss Nancy Faye Williams and Lyle Bundy, Marilyn Melroe and Charles Bundy, Thomas Kinser and Mary Wilson, Thomas Gordon, Wilton Jewell, Weldon Taylor and Virginia Cassidy, Bill Buchanan and Florence Davis, Mark Buchanan and Nancy Hill, Paul Steffy and Nancy Sue Robbins, Jimmy Hendrix and Claudia Agee, Ira Yocum and Carolyn Trimble, Mack May, Jimmy Simms, Jud Matrinde and Lark Hamilton.

Large Number of Guests Attend Thursday Recital

A most appreciative audience greeted Miss Nancy Faye Williams and her young sister, Miss Patricia Williams at their recital Thursday evening.

The recital was presented by Mrs. J. C. Carlton at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams.

Personal Mention

Miss Nancy Robins and Miss Nancy

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U. S. Farmer and Defense

Experts See New Hey-Day Out of War's Demands

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON — What the war, national defense and the lend-lease program are doing to the American farmer is one of the strangest paradoxes in this strangest of all world situations.

On one hand, the real or potential world markets which mean the difference between a fair living and poverty to the growers of our "surplus" crops (principally cotton, tobacco and wheat) have been wiped out.

On the other hand, such a demand for other farm products is being created that it is quite possible thousands of American farmers are entering a new era. It won't be an era of "sky-the-limit" prosperity, but officials believe it should be one of decent living and fair return. And if the Department of Agriculture carries out its present aims, this era won't be followed by black depression, dust storms and starving hordes such as came in the wake of the World War.

To take the gloomy side first: In recent years about half of some of our types of tobacco, 20 per cent of our cotton, 20 to 50 per cent of some fruits and five per cent of our wheat, were sold abroad.

Normally about 2,000,000 farm folk depended for their livelihood on farm products sold to continental Europe and another 2,000,000 depended on farm products sold to the United Kingdom.

According to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, the value of farm products exported in the six months ending in February of this year amounted to only \$155,000,000—compared with \$489,000,000 in the corresponding six months a year earlier (the first six months of the war). Until just recently, farm exports continued to hang around that all-time low level to which they plunged soon after the collapse of France a year ago.

The surpluses and prospective crops of wheat, cotton and tobacco are staggering. When the new-crop cotton starts moving to market, it is estimated the old-crop surplus will

be nearly 14,000,000 bales — almost enough to supply domestic and foreign demands if not an ounce of cotton were picked until 1942. The wheat supply for the coming season is estimated by Secretary of Agriculture Wickard at 1,230,000,000 bushels, with consumption and exports recently averaging 755,000,000 bushels. A department expert who should know told me the other day that tobacco exports had dropped to their lowest level since before the Civil War.

But Prices Are at Peak

These facts and figures make Joe Farmer's future look about as bright as that of an ice cream salesman in Antarctica, but these facts and figures don't tell all.

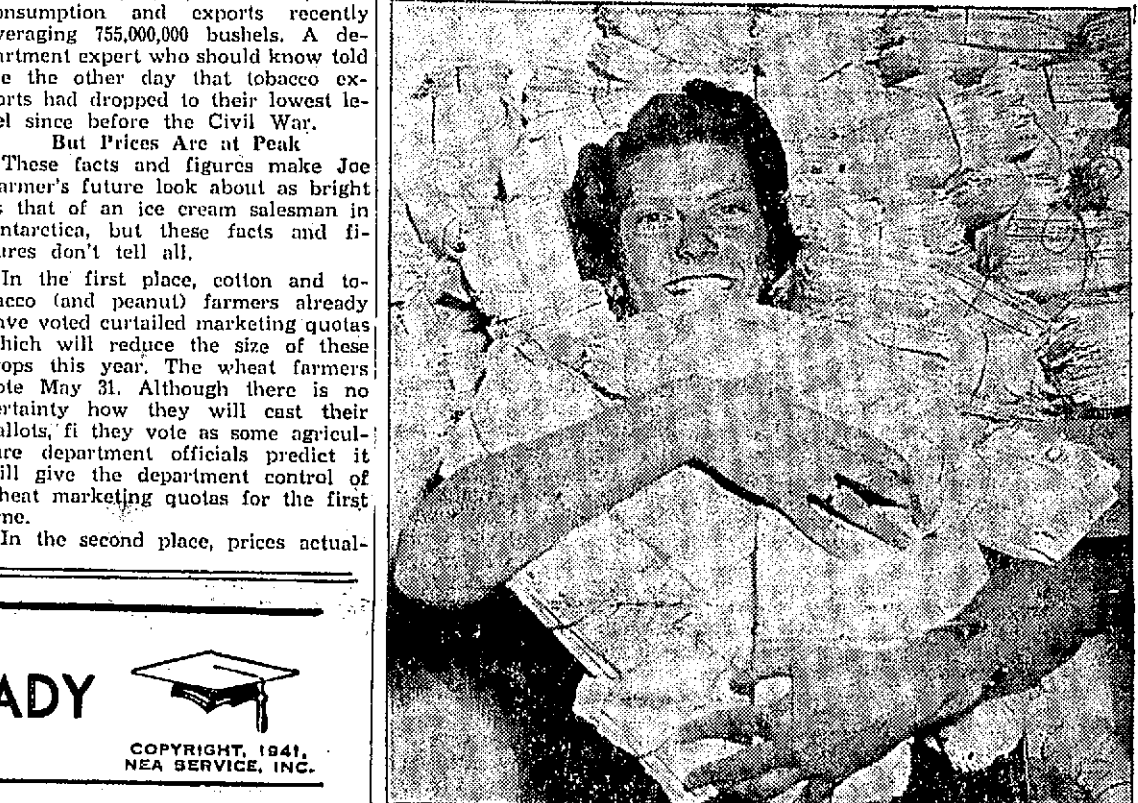
In the first place, cotton and tobacco (and peanut) farmers already have voted curtailed marketing quotas which will reduce the size of these crops this year. The wheat farmers vote May 31. Although there is no certainty how they will cast their ballots, if they vote as some agriculture department officials predict it will give the department control of wheat marketing quotas for the first time.

In the second place, prices actual-

Charity to Benefit From 'Blondie's' New Baby



Chic Young certainly started something when he asked readers of his comic strip "Blondie" to help him name the new baby at the home of "Blondie," his famous newspaper comic character. He got 400,000 suggestions and, more surprising, many persons sent money, photos of their own children and other gifts for the baby, some of which you see here. The more practical gifts are being donated by Mr. Young to charities. The others he is proudly adding to a collection of Blondieana.



Betty Scanlon, swimming star who'll be remembered by thousands as a performer at the New York World's Fair Aqueduct, is all wrapped up in a new job, as you can see. She's one of the corps of girls helping Chic Young, creator of "Blondie," handle the hundreds of thousands of letters he's received about the name for Blondie's new daughter.

Harrison in Hollywood

By PAUL HARRISON, NEA Service Correspondent

Simone Simon Moans Moans About a Horse

Lucie Neville is pinch-hitting for Paul Harrison, now touring army camps and defense industries.

By LUCIE NEVILLE

NEA Service Staff Correspondent HOLLYWOOD — Simone Simon, who's back in movies—and taking home fine report cards on deportment and work—was a little nervous about her horseback scene in "The Devil and Daniel Webster."

Never before, she said, had she sat upon a horse at the angle (that is, side-saddle), but it was a simple scene. She and James Craig were to ride away from the cameras until they

were out of sight beyond a bend in the road.

The horse moved restively and Miss Simon patted its neck. "Don't be afraid," she said soothingly. "I won't hurt you." This seemed to put the animal's mind at rest and he stood quiet again.

Nice Horse

"He's a very tame horse, Simone," Produce Director William Dieterle assured her. "Especially for you. Tame as a kitten."

"Of course," said Miss Simon, rather doubtfully.

"Ready" asked Dieterle, and she nodded. The two horses and their riders moved down the road. "Perfect!" the director pronounced. "See? Gentle as a lamb. Used to the side-saddle. We got him especially because of that."

Just then a hostler pulled at the director's sleeve. The man's face was flushed and he seemed short of breath. "Mister Dieterle," he said softly, "that ain't the horse you think I was off the set when you started the scene. The tame one's out-side. This'n never had a woman on him before, and he's a mean hoss."

"That," said Miss Simon, "makes us even. Never before have I sat upon

Mme. Novatna Loves to Eat

Actress Drinks Merrily But Dies Many Times

By HERMAN ALLEN

AP Feature Service Writer

NEW YORK—Mme. Jarmila Novatna sals with gusto close to that of a dock-hand, will take a drink now and then, is merry most all the time—and loves to "die."

Film despite her appetite, Mme. Novatna is one of the top sopranos of the Metropolitan Opera Company, and her favorite roles are those in which the heroine dies, like "Manon," "La Traviata" and "La Boheme."

"Dying is so dramatic," she explains. "Besides being born, it is probably the most dramatic thing that happens to a person. I don't know of any roles calling for a soprano to be born, so I take dying roles every time I can."

"Dying gracefully is the hardest test of a singer's acting ability. It is so difficult to resist the temptation to wave the arms and be over-dramatic. Most of the heroines die quietly, anyway, except a few like Butterfly, who stabs herself."

"Died" For Reinhardt

Mme. Novatna did some of her best dying for Max Reinhardt, with whom she worked in Europe before coming to America in 1939. She is Czech by birth.

Her first role with Reinhardt was a top-notch dying part—Antonia in "Tales of Hoffman." She appeared in many Reinhardt productions and worked in motion pictures as well.

One of her best films was the French version of "One Night of Love."

It was getting on toward lunch time as Mme. Novatna discoursed lightly on death high up in her Fifth Avenue apartment. She tossed her head—a characteristic gesture—stole a glance at Central Park Lagoon and changed the subject to eating.

She had just stepped off the train after a concert tour of the South and could think of little other than a marvelous discovery she had made in New Orleans—"something like little lobsters." She wasn't sure just what it was, but it was very good. Finally she decided it might answer the description of crawfish.

Likes American Food

The first thing Mme. Novatna did when she got off the boat in 1939 was to have lunch. She promptly fell in love with American food—corn on the cob and apple pie, especially,

a horse at that or any other angle."

Latest couple to join the movie rancheros is Lucille Ball and Desi Arnaz, who have bought a small place at Northridge. So far, all the livestock they own is a dozen baby chicks which, pending the move to the ranch are cheeping and scratching in a make shift incubator in the living room of the apartment. However, the Arnazes are racketeering around town in a station wagon and come to work at the studio in full rodeo regalia: a bright yellow shirt and tan jodhpurs for Miss Ball, the Latin Arnaz in a violently plaided red shirt with pearl buttons, blue jeans, silk neckerchief and light gray 10-gallon hat.

Simian Steals Scene

The only person who ever has been able to steal a scene from John Barrymore has been brother Lionel, but John has a match in the 25-year-old simian, Jimmy, who cuts monkey-shines in "World Premiere."

He seems to have an uncanny way of knowing the difference between rehearsals and real takes—behaves perfectly in the former, but mugs and capers outrageously when the camera is rolling. Barrymore's gestures and wild eye-rollings fascinate the monkey and he imitates the Great Profile to perfection—so accurately that the other day Barrymore stopped in the middle of a speech and said sternly, "My dear sir, if you must play in this scene with me, please get your own routine."

Legal Notice

Notice of Filing of Application For Liquor Permit

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed with the Commissioner of Revenues of the State of Arkansas for permit to sell and dispense vinous or spirituous liquors for beverage at retail on the premises described as East 3rd St. 120, Hope, Arkansas.

Application is for permit to be issued for operation beginning on the first day of July, 1941 and expiring on the 30th day of June, 1942, as prescribed by Bulletin dated January 7, 1938 and Supplemental Regulation No. 18 effective July 10, 1937.

P. J. DRAKE
Applicant

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Strike Averted at Bosier City, La.

SHREVEPORT, La. — A. O. A. Knight, president of the Oil Workers International Union (CIO) announced Friday that a strike at the 20,000-barrel Arkansas Fuel Oil company (Cotton Service) Bossier City refinery had been averted.

Duties Change

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to the Axis troops. One was Gen. Richard O'Connor, who, with Lieut. Gen. Henry Wilson, carried out General Wavell's westward drive.

"Electric Whiskers" took his capture philosophically, but his philosophy lacked much of the grandeur displayed by another captured Fascist, Gen. Francesco Argentina. Argentine, found hiding along the beach after the fall of Bardia, swept an eloquent arm towards the vast Libyan sands and cried:

"For all I care about this desert, you can have it! I myself am a poet."

Bergonzoli is famous for leading his men into dangerous places. He has been seen dashing over the battle field with a machine gun slung over his shoulder. Once in the Ethiopian invasion if 1935 he took a small column into the woods. Days later he returned alone, his stomach torn by a bullet. Another time, while others were taking shelter, Bergonzoli strode into the fray calmly eating gumdrops.

Tricky Cats

Cats do not display affection only for those who like them, but may ignore fond masters and shower their affections upon visitors who detect them.

and all kinds of sea food. She is sold on fruit juices, too—never had them in Europe. She's perfectly honest about why it is she likes American cooking: "It is so much lighter than European food. I can eat more—and often!"

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Admiral Chief Steps From Deck to Desk, He Bosses Biggest Navy in U. S. History

By GERRY DICK
NEA Service Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON — Early in the summer of 1914 the Assistant Secretary of the Navy was cruising aboard a battleship. The ship entered waters familiar to him and he asked to "take the helm."
"Very sorry, sir," replied the young lieutenant commanding the ship, "I don't think you can relieve me of my command."
Twenty-five years later Franklin D. Roosevelt, the Assistant Secretary of the Navy who could not relieve L. Harold Raynsford Stark of his command, could and did choose him for the Navy's No. 1 job; Chief of Naval Operations.
Admiral Stark is boss of the largest navy—built, building and on paper—that the United States has ever attempted to float. On recommendations he made six months after assuming office in August 1939, Congress authorized a 70 per cent bigger, two-ocean navy. When completed (it's now about two years ahead of its 1946 schedule), it will consist of 150 ships totaling 3,750,000 tons.
"Dollars Cannot Buy Yesterday"
To get the job done with all possible speed, "Dollars cannot buy yesterday," he has said, Admiral Stark arrives at his office before his subordinates, leaves it after them. The Navy Department provides a chauffeur-driven sedan for the Chief, but when the weather is good, he drives himself to the office in a roadster with the top down. On such days he may have been up extra early. He is an avid movie amateur; his pet subject, sun rises. On especially beautiful mornings his aides wake him in time to film the rising sun.
His office, on what he calls the "second deck" of the Navy Building, has a salty air—with gray walls, blue leather furniture, a ship's clock and model seaplanes poised above the fireplace as though they were about to take off. His private office, adjoining the larger one, looks like a class room. The Admiral's desk is at one end, flanked by rows of black leather chairs and a huge colored chart of the seven seas.



Admiral Stark . . . his office has a salty air.

Above the door there are three miniature code flags: blue for the Secretary of the Navy; white for the Assistant; red for the Under Secretary. They are run up when the Secretaries are "aboard" the building.
The Chief looks the part of "the old sea dog." He has white hair, tanned skin. He wears steel-rimmed spectacles now.
"The Log," Annapolis classbook, described him as "musical—having made the day hideous with his singing," and "hungry as the grave." His trim figure indicates that he's not as fond of eating as he once was and he has given up singing. But his quiet voice still retains a musical quality.
His energy is wiry and well coordinated; so he looks efficient without looking hurried. No one can ever remember having seen him lose his temper.
Navy Nicknamed Him "Betty"
His friends call him "Betty," but not because of his kindly face and gentle manner. When he was a plebe at Annapolis, his classmates misappropriated the name of the wife (real name: Molly) of Revolutionary War hero Gen. John Stark for the future admiral's christening. Whenever he met an upperclassman, he was made to declaim: "Beat them, or Betty Stark will sleep in widowhood tonight."
He is a careful worker, following up anything he starts. He is extremely meticulous. (On his desk he keeps a card file with all his friends' phone numbers and addresses.) Because he succeeded the extremely warm and well-liked Admirals Yarnell and Leahy, Washington was at first inclined to consider Admiral Stark rather cold. But officers who know him are quick to contradict this.
Though he is separated from his

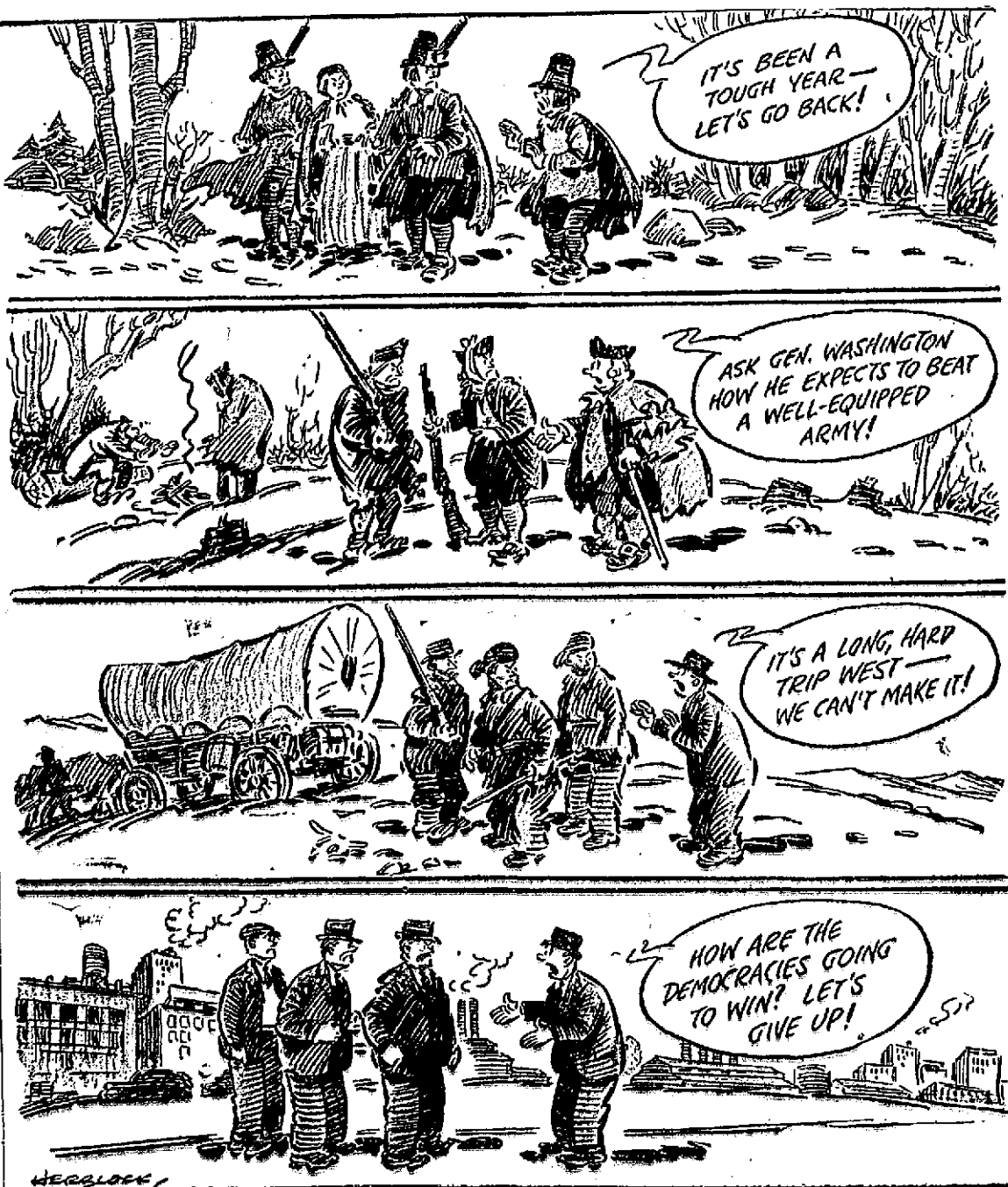
In Washington

By PETER EDSON, NEA Washington Correspondent

Government Cafeterias Break Lunch Bottleneck By Dishing Up 16 Million of Them Every Year

WASHINGTON — The little problem of providing lunch for Uncle Sam's nephews and nieces who work in government buildings is one of the less significant but still highly necessary aspects of life in your nation's capital.
For while Treasury and State Departments are right down town, surrounded by restaurants, Agriculture, OPM, Navy and a few of the other big offices are decidedly in the outfield and too far away from everything for the help to run home or into town for lunch. And government employees have to eat just like everyone else, even if some of the taxpayers do claim they eat up too much.
The way most lunch concessions are operated, everything is on a pretty altruistic basis. If a clerk or messenger wants to pack his lunch in a newspaper or shoe box (that's all right, and he can come in and sit at a table with the paying customers.
You Bring The Tea
It even goes so far, that if a stenographer or file clerk wants cheap tea, she can bring her own tea, get a free cup and hot water and unashamedly make her brew right in the restaurant. Or the service will furnish a tall glass, free ice and free sugar. With those ingredients, the customer can get a passable ice cold lemonade by buying three slices of lemon for a cent.
The high-mindedness of this cheap meal policy for government clerks was a long time a-borning. Before the last war, private operators had the luncheon and refreshment stand concessions in the hallowed halls of government and they were uniformly bad. With the big influx of war workers, the superintendent of the army and navy buildings set up a revolving fund to finance concessions to be run the way the employees wanted them. This idea took hold, absorbed private concessionaires, and at one time was serving 6000 meals a day at the famous old Mall cafeteria in Henry Park.
That grew into a joint welfare service. In 1927 it was incorporated as the Welfare Association of Public Buildings and Grounds which today operates 32 cafeterias, 16 news stands and soda bars, the Washington tourist camp, a bicycle renting concession, boating concessions on the Tidal Basin, six swimming pools, two vacation camps for children of lower paid federal employees, a housing project, and a couple of overnight dormitories for soldiers in Washington on leave.
The cafeterias in 32 government buildings are of course the big business of this association today. They are dishing it out now at the rate of 16 million lunches a year, or about 55,000 a day. The average check is only from 10 to 23 cents although the daily two-bit special of a meat and two vegetables has 10,000 customers. The gross income will run more than two and a half million dollars this year.
The association figures that its profit on each tray averages only a third of a cent, but under its peculiar set-up half of the net profit goes to the United States Treasury as rent and service charge. Fifteen per cent is earmarked for charity and welfare work among needy government employees and the other 35 per cent is set aside for expansion.
Beans and Prunes Get Cheers
There isn't a great deal that the association has learned about eating habits, but some of its conclusions are interesting. Whenever they serve cornbread, there's usually an argument between the Yankees and the southerners as to whether it should be made out of white or yellow cornmeal. Beans and prunes, which draw only scorn when set forth on a boarding house table, are still among the most popular dishes when people choose from the cafeteria steam table. Right now, the dietitians and menu makers are wondering how government clerks will go for raw spinach. The Welfare Association is the biggest of the noon feeding institutions, but it isn't the only one. The Government Printing Office, Bureau of Engraving, Department of Agriculture and Navy Department with their big payrolls have their own associations which operate their own cafeterias.

The Old Moan



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Clipping Weeds Now Insures Better Feed

Farmers Who Get Hay From Pasture Should Weed It Now

Clipping weeds now in meadows and pastures is one way of ensuring better quality hay and greater carrying capacity of pastures, Oliver L. Adams, county agent, points out.
Mowing weeds at this season of the year has many advantages. Annual weeds which would soon mature seed and thus reseed themselves would be eradicated. Lespedeza meadows and permanent pastures that are just beginning to grow would have a chance to make better growth if weeds that have already made rank growth were clipped back.
Clipping weeds is especially recommended by Charles F. Simmons of the University of Arkansas College of Agriculture, to those farmers who are planning to save lespedeza seed, because mowing now would reduce the stand of many weeds that mature seed at the same time as lespedeza. A systematic pasture-mowing program will almost completely control bitterweeds and other annual weeds within 2 or 3 years.
In mowing lespedeza meadows the cutter bar of the mower should be set high enough to clip the weeds without damaging the lespedeza. To control bitterweeds, the pasture should be mowed just before the bitterweeds begin to blossom, setting the cutter bar high enough to cut the weed just beneath the flower bud. The bitterweed will put out new buds at the point where the stem was clipped and before the new buds open they, too, should be clipped.
About three clippings a year at the

Beautiful Dreamer



Will Benito become a pencil-vending Jester Lester by next year? Howard Richer of Newark, N. J., thinks so—and his costume won first prize.

Potato Acreage Below Normal

Only 3,700 Acres Reported Throughout State

Roy Sellers, Extension Economist and Marketing Specialist advises that the April 1st Agricultural Marketing Service shows an indicated acreage of commercial potatoes in Arkansas of only 3,700 acres compared with 4,100 last year and the 10-year average of 5,100. The second early states, Arkansas, North Carolina, Oklahoma and Tennessee, have an indicated acreage of 43,000 acres this year as compared to the 10-year average of 49,000 acres. Three of these states, Arkansas, North Carolina and Oklahoma, have decreased acreages while the fourth state, Tennessee, has an increased acreage.
The reduced acreage in the second early states is more than offset by a greatly increased acreage in the early states, which comes off just ahead of us. The early (1) group of states has an indicated acreage of 120,000 acres compared with the 10-year average of 88,000 acres. We just hope that this exceedingly large acreage in the states just to the south of us will not depress the price too severely.

Right time for 2 or 3 years will almost completely eradicate bitterweeds. Farmers should avoid cutting bitterweeds too close the first two clippings, other wise the new buds will form so close to the ground they cannot be mowed, and thus form seed for another crop the next year.
Control of weeds on pastures by mowing is one way farmers can earn their soil-building allowance under the AAA program, credit of 50 cents an acre being allowed provided a systematic program is followed.

STANDINGS

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION			
Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Atlanta	29	8	.784
Nashville	22	14	.611
Knoxville	16	18	.471
Memphis	14	16	.467
Chattanooga	15	18	.455
New Orleans	13	19	.406
Birmingham	12	22	.353
Little Rock	10	20	.333

Friday's Results
Nashville 10, Little Rock 2.
Chattanooga 8, Birmingham 0.
Atlanta 3, New Orleans 1.
Knoxville 11, Memphis 10.

Games Saturday
Little Rock at Nashville.
Birmingham at Chattanooga.
Memphis at Knoxville.
New Orleans at Atlanta.

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	22	9	.710
Chicago	14	11	.560
Boston	13	11	.542
New York	15	15	.500
Detroit	13	14	.481
Washington	13	16	.448
Philadelphia	10	17	.370
St. Louis	9	16	.360

Friday's Results
New York 6, Chicago 5.
Cleveland 9, Boston 3.
Detroit 5, Philadelphia 4.
Washington 7, St. Louis 6.

Games Saturday
Chicago at New York.
Cleveland at Boston.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Washington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	22	7	.759
St. Louis	19	7	.731
New York	14	11	.560
Boston	11	15	.423
Chicago	10	14	.417
Pittsburgh	9	14	.391
Cincinnati	10	16	.385
Philadelphia	8	19	.296

Friday's Results
New York 4, Chicago 2.
Pittsburgh 3, Brooklyn 2.
St. Louis 4, Boston 0.
Cincinnati-Philadelphia, off day.

Games Saturday
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.
New York at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.

Manufacturers Asked to Fix Machine Price

Asked to Stabilize Prices in Interest of National Defense

Manufacturers of farm implements have been requested in the interest of national defense not to increase farm machinery prices at this time, according to a letter sent out by Leon Henderson, Administrator of price administration and civilian supply in the Office for Emergency Management.
This action has been taken, Oliver L. Adams, county agent said, because of the importance of farm machinery and equipment as a factor in the cost of farm production and their influence upon prices of domestic supplies of farm products. As the Henderson letter pointed out, farm machinery prices will become even more important as the defense program affects the labor supply in certain agricultural areas.
The letter also requested that there be no change in cash and trade discounts or trade practices which would increase the cost of farm machinery to dealers. It pointed out that improved demand conditions and the

The intermediate (1) group of states, which follows us, has an indicated acreage of 66,000 acres compared with the 10-year average of 89,000 acres.
Since the potato outlook is uncertain, it behooves the grower groups to work particularly hard on their marketing programs. Extension Circular No. 422—Marketing Arkansas Early Potatoes, which may be secured at the county agents office should prove of particular value in potato marketing.

assurance of stable prices of steel used in making the machinery should balance possible increased costs in the industry.
"This is a precautionary step in which farmers, as well as other elements of the Nation, have a vital interest," Mr. Adams declared. "If others hold the line on the prices of things farmers buy, farmers in turn will be able to provide for the nations needs at prices fair to consumer and producer alike. Unwarrented price increases will penalize everyone and hamper the defense effort."

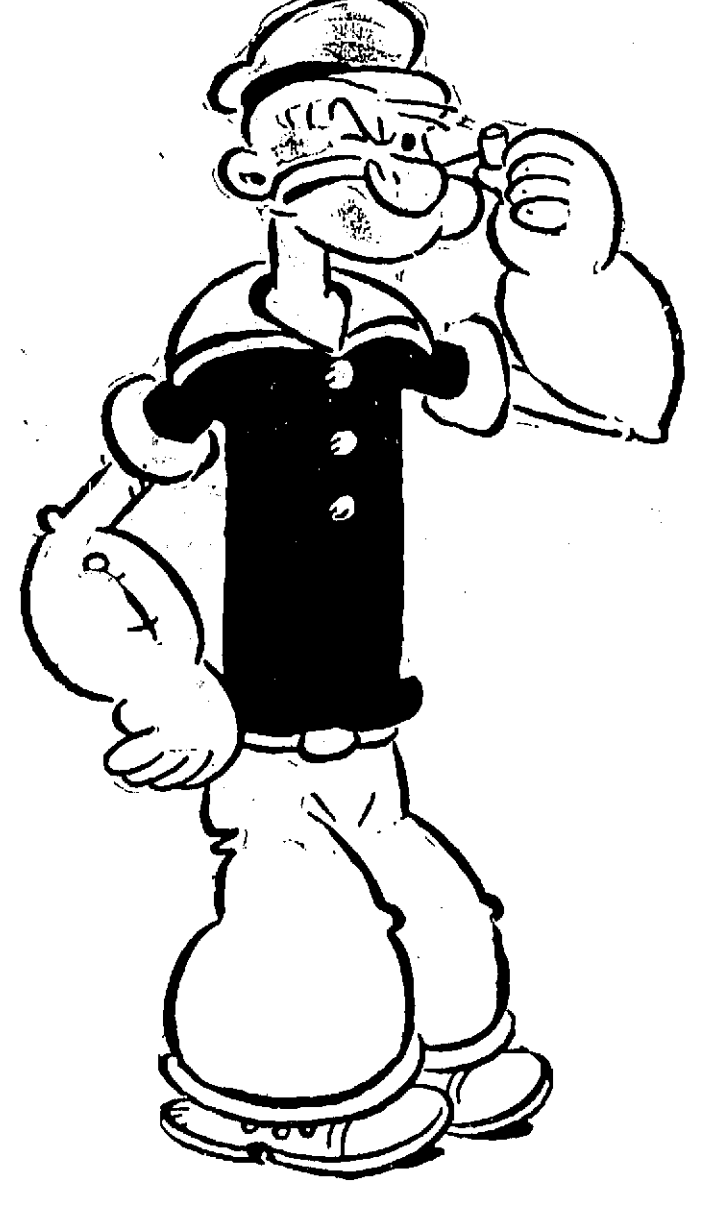
A spider's first web is as perfect as any it makes thereafter.

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Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. Should a hostess discuss the shortcomings of her mind or the price of food at the dinner table?
 2. May butter be put on bread or rolls with a fork?
 3. May butter be put on potatoes with a fork?
 4. Is it all right for a husband and wife to argue in front of a servant?
 5. Should you walk into the house of a neighbor without ringing the bell, if you are good friends?
 - What would you do if—
You call on a neighbor and find her busy, though she stops what she is doing and settles down to entertain you—
(a) Stay as long as you like?
(b) Stay just a few minutes and then leave?
- Answers
1. No.
2. No.
3. Yes, that is the correct way to put butter on potatoes.
4. No.
5. No. Some formalities should always be maintained.
Best "What Would You Do" solution—(b).



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